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RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

This paper is responsive to the Office Action mailed December 28, 2007. Applicant requests a three (3) months extension of time until June 28, 2008. The Commissioner is authorized to charge our Deposit Account No. 19-0733 in the amount of \$1050.00.

If additional fees are required or if an overpayment is made, the Commissioner is authorized to charge or credit our Deposit Account No. 19-0733, accordingly.